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STANDARD WILL DECIDE ON HOME

DIRECTORS OF POLAND-CHINA ASSOCIATION MEET MONDAY.

WORK ON BUILDING STARTS IN SPRING

Building to House Record Workers Will Be One-Story Brick, and Cost \$15,000.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Standard Poland-China Record association to decide on a site and plans for a one-story brick building to house the association, will be held Monday morning, beginning at 9 o'clock in the association offices, Third and Market streets. The call for a special meeting was decided upon yesterday by W. O. Garrett and Fred P. Robinson, special building committee, after the completion of the rough drawings for the home.

The session also was called for Monday, as that is the only day for a week or ten days that the secretary, Ray Davis, will be in Maryville, as he is spending most of his time now attending hog sales in Iowa, Missouri and other central west states. At this conference definite action will be taken relative to a site and plans, according to Mr. Garrett.

Dozen Sites to Pick From.

The directors will have more than a dozen sites to choose from, while three plans for the building have been submitted by Martin Borrusch of this city, James H. Schaack of Seattle, Wash., who is visiting C. D. Bellows here, and a St. Joseph architect.

It is the belief of the building committee that a suitable home for the association can be built for about \$15,000. It will be not less than 30 by 60 feet in dimensions, is to be one story high and of brick construction, and will contain a vault to cost not less than \$1,500, according to Mr. Garrett.

On account of the crowded condition now of the association headquarters, it is the intention of the directors to push the building to completion as soon as possible. Immediately after the conference here Monday a contract for the drawing of the building blue print and the purchase of a site will be made, and actual work on the building will be begun not later than April 1, according to Mr. Garrett.

To Be Ready in August.

Barring unexpected delays the home will be ready for occupancy, it is believed, by August. While it is the intention of the building committee to try to locate the association building in the business section, it is also of primary importance to have it within close distance of the postoffice, as most of the association's business is really transacted through the mails.

The association directors who will decide on a site and home Monday are W. O. Garrett, chairman, and F. P. Robinson of Maryville; J. C. Meese, Ord, Neb.; L. R. McClarnon, Braddyville, Ia.; Thomas A. Shattuck, Hastings, Neb.; Thomas J. Dawe, Troy, Kan., and S. S. Spangler, Milan, Mo.

EDITOR ATTENDS CONVENTION

Max Jones of Platte City, Visits School of Methods.

Max Jones, who is connected with the Platte City Landmark, has been in Maryville for the past few days attending the "School of Methods," in session at the First Christian church.

The Landmark is published by Col. W. T. Jenkins and is one of the oldest newspapers in the state, having been established in 1865. Mr. Jones will return to his home tomorrow.

The closing out sale of James Blagg & Son, nine miles south of Maryville, was held today, at which forty head of cows, forty-one head of hogs and one horse were offered. J. T. Mounts also held the public auction today at his residence, two miles south of Maryville of a number of horses, mules, cattle and hogs.



You are Invited to Attend Our Victor Opening

Mr. Nelson from the Victor factory will demonstrate the Machines and Records.

Today and Tomorrow—Landon Music Co.

P. S.—Notice Victor and Columbia Advertisement in this week's Saturday Evening Post—we sell both lines.

J. C. DUTTON, 82, DIES.

Succumbs This Afternoon at Daughter's Home—Funeral Arrangements Later.

J. C. Dutton, aged 82, died at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, 1209 North Main street.

Mr. Dutton had been in failing health for several years, and the last few months had gradually grown weaker. Wednesday his condition became serious.

Mr. Dutton passed his eighty-second birthday last Saturday. With his wife he came from New York to Nodaway county in 1870 and had made his home here since. This winter both Mr. and Mrs. Dutton made their home with their daughter, Mrs. Hanna.

Beside his wife and daughter living in this city, Mr. Dutton is survived by another daughter, Mrs. George C. Toel of St. Joseph. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

CONSERVATORY GIVES CONCERTS.

Musicales Held Twice Daily at the Recital Hall.

A victrola musicale is being held the last three days of the week at the Maryville Conservatory of Music, which is in charge of E. B. Nelson of Omaha, a representative of the Victor firm. Musical programs are given during the afternoons and will also be given tonight and tomorrow night.

Tea was served this afternoon by the young women of the Conservatory faculty, assisted by Mrs. H. B. Schuler, Mrs. Mary Landon and Miss May Orear. A reception and tea will be given tomorrow afternoon, at which other friends will assist.

A general and free invitation has been extended to the public to attend all of the musicales.

EMPLOYEES GIVE "FASHION SHOW."

Haines Clerks Hold a Novel Dress Exhibit Which Pleases.

A novel advertising plan was introduced yesterday by the clerks of the Haines store, who put on a fashion show, to exhibit, not their Sunday-go-to-meeting creations, but house dresses.

It was a big shift in the scenery to see a young woman behind the counter, dressed in the simple frock which the feminine portion of the family reserves for the kitchen.

In the absence of the proprietor, who is at the eastern fashion show, the clerks created one of their own. Each girl wore a dress of different fashion and presented an appearance so attractive that every shopper who visited the store had a great desire to look likewise.

RENOWNED PRIEST AT ABBEY.

Bishop of Ohio Diocese Visiting at Conception.

Conception abbey is entertaining the Rt. Rev. Bishop Schrembs of Toledo, O., who is one of the most brilliant orators of the Catholic hierarchy.

Bishop Schrembs, being deeply interested in the reform of the church music as inaugurated by the late Pope Pius X, is pursuing special studies along these lines together with the Rev. Father Gregory, O. S. B., of Conception, who is a recognized authority on church music.

MATE JAILED; ASKS DIVORCE.

Husband of Mrs. Mary E. Stewart of Elmo, Now in Prison for Mistreating His Niece

A suit for divorce, on the grounds that her husband, William E. Stewart, is now in prison, for committing a felony, was filed in circuit court today by Mary E. Stewart of Elmo. She says they were married on December 18, 1890, and lived together until a few months ago, when he was convicted. She also seeks the custody of the one child, Zola, 14 years old.

Stewart was convicted in the September term of circuit court here, it is said, for having had carnal knowledge with his 15-year-old niece. He now is serving his sentence in the state penitentiary at Jefferson City, according to Deputy Sheriff Callahan.

Nodaway county patrons included the following: J. J. Strickler, D. Sanders, H. Rowlett, Allen & Co., C. E. Alderman, V. Fakes and J. B. Nunnell. —St. Joseph Stock Journal.

TOURNEY NEAREND

BOWLING FIGHT BETWEEN EMPIRE AND HAINES NOW.

ENTER IOWA CONTEST

Maryville Will Play Five-Man Team Against Five Iowa Quintets—Many Prizes Are Offered.

With but one more game to play yet, and that between the Empire and the Haines bowling teams, Monday night, the Maryville bowling tourney appears now as being almost cinched by the Empire team. Yet that team, by losing to the Haines triplet, will fall down to tied place with the El Roi Tans, while the Haines bunch will lead.

The tournament, which closes with Monday night's game, has brought out some remarkably good bowling talent in the city, and has also developed much more. Several high scores of 200 and more have been made during the contest. The final fray will be followed by a banquet to the players at the Merchants cafe by Yeo Brothers, in whose alleys the contests have been staged this season. A prize to the winning triplet also will probably be presented at that time. The El Roi Tans won the tourney the past two years.

To Enter Iowa Tourney.

Another matter of general interest to the bowling fans of Maryville is in the fact that Maryville will furnish a five-man team for a six-town tourney to be played at Creston, February 22. All other teams in the Creston contest will hail from southern Iowa towns. They are Creston, Red Oak, Fontanelle, Shenandoah and Chariton.

While the entire list of players for the Maryville team have not been picked, four players who have expressed a willingness to compete are: Cleve Funk, Fred Diss, T. K. Wray and Edward Schumacher. Two other of the best players will be picked within a few days, according to Mr. Yeo, thereby providing one extra man for emergency.

Offer These Prizes.

The following prizes are offered in the Creston tourney.

Five-man team, first, \$25; second \$15.

Doubles, first, \$15; second, \$5. Singles, first, \$15; second, \$5.

In the next to the last game played last night the Empire won three straight games from the Haines bunch. Maulding had high average of 153, while Shanks made the high score of 184. The summary:

Empire—			
Maulding	157	147	157
Shanks	184	126	144
Buthers	149	151	197
Totals	490	424	498

Haines—			
Stapler	157	112	170
Saunders	183	132	122
Becker	149	126	144
Totals	489	370	436

How They Stand.

The standing to date:

Teams—	Won.	Lost.	P. C. T.
Empire	21	12	.636
El Roi Tans	21	15	.583
Haines	19	14	.575
Machinists	15	21	.417
Toggerly	11	25	.306

If the Empire wins Monday night the standing of the Empire will be .667 while the Haines standing would be .528. On the other hand, if the Empire loses its standing will be .583, or will be tied with the El Roi Tans. This, too, would place the Haineses at a percentage of .611, or at the top.

THIS IS NOT A HOLIDAY.

Birth of Lincoln Not Observed by Schools Nor Business Houses.

Although there is quite a general observance on February 22 each year over the country of the birth of George Washington, there is none being shown today over Nodaway county to note the birth, 106 years ago, of Abraham Lincoln, not the father, but the savior of this country. No schools of the county, as far as is known, nor business houses in Maryville are paying any respect to the civil war martyr.

Prof. Bert Cooper, superintendent of schools of the county, has received several inquiries relative to a holiday today. To each he has replied that only Thanksgiving day, Christmas and the Fourth of July are generally observed as school holidays.

Some teachers, it is said, did impress the fact of Lincoln's birthday today on the pupils by the singing of patriotic songs or recitation of poems relative to Lincoln's life.

SCHOOL TO CLOSE

TO HOLD FINAL OF FIVE DAYS MEETINGS TONIGHT.

REVIVAL TO COMMENCE

Preaching Will Be by Regular Pastor, Rev. Robert L. Finch—Meeting Begins Sunday.

The school of methods which has been in session at the First Christian church this week will close tonight. The attendance and interest had been good during the entire five days. There will be seventy graduates, who will receive certificates of proficiency at the close of the school tonight. The number of graduates and the delegates attending this school has been greatly in excess of any of the twenty-seven held last year or the ones already held this year.

The lecture by Prof. A. H. Braden, which was to have been given tonight was given last night on account of Mr. Braden's being called away from the city. The other addresses to be given tonight are on topics of special benefit to Bible school workers, and will complete the plan as presented by the instructors for Bible school workers in all grades.

Sunday the pastor, the Rev. Robert L. Finch, will begin a series of revival services at the church. He will be assisted by Harry O. Fritz, a tenor of lyceum platform fame, who has just finished with conducting the musical part of an evangelistic service at Washington, Kan. Mr. Fritz is a graduate of the Moody Bible institute at Chicago.

The laymen of the church have been planning on making this one of the largest revival services held, and expect to give liberal assistance to the pastor in his work of evangelism.

HOLDS CAMPBELL FUNERAL.

Services Held This Morning at Home, Near Arkoee.

The funeral services for Henry Campbell, living south of Arkoee, who was killed Thursday afternoon by being run over by a Burlington freight train, were held this morning at the family home, conducted by the Rev. J. L. Bilby, pastor of the Methodist church of Barnard. The interment was made in the Swinford cemetery, near Arkoee.

Mr. Campbell is survived by a wife and eight children. The children are Mrs. Emma Willis and Mrs. Polly Willis of Lansford, N. D.; Mrs. Nora Strop, William, Nettie, Earl, Virgil and Ross Campbell, living at Arkoee.

WILL FIGHT STOCK DISEASE.

Senator Craig Succeeds in Getting \$5,000 to Combat Cattle Malady.

A joint resolution by Senator Anderson Craig of Maryville, making at once available \$5,000 to prevent contagious foot and mouth disease among live stock passed the senate yesterday. The money will come from the \$50,000 appropriation to the state board of agriculture. The same resolution was introduced in the house.

The state board has been allowed \$50,000 for veterinary service, as against \$25,000 two years ago.

TO PROMOTE DAIRY WORK.

State Expert Comes Here to Encourage Co-Operation.

W. E. Foard, instructor in the college of agriculture at Columbia, arrived in Maryville yesterday to confer with the Normal faculty and some of the leading farmers and dairymen of Nodaway county relative to co-operative dairying. There are about forty farmers in the state doing this co-operative work, it is said.

Visits Sons Here.

Mrs. W. H. Tilson of Rosendale, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Burch, of Pickering, for the last two weeks, came to Maryville last night to visit a few days with her sons, W. R. Tilson and J. L. Tilson, and families before returning home.

Raise Hogs or Cattle?

The debating society of the Gray Grove school, six miles northeast of Burlington Junction, will discuss the topic, "Resolved, that cattle are more profitable to raise than hogs," in a debate there tonight. The Gray Grove community is becoming quite active this term in social affairs and in school meetings of an educational nature.

Over 200 cases of small pox are reported in Creston and it is giving the town a blackeye in a business way although the disease is in a very light form.

TO BOOST FOR NEW HOSPITAL

The Rev. A. H. DeLong, St. Joseph, Pleads at Methodist Church Sunday for Ensworth.

The Rev. Arthur H. DeLong, field agent of Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph, will arrive here tonight, preparatory to making two addresses in the First Methodist church Sunday. In the morning he will present the proposition of building a new hospital building at St. Joseph, and in the night will deliver the regular sermon instead of the Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor.

While no subscriptions for the new institution will probably be sought here Sunday by Dr. DeLong, he will explain the needs of the Ensworth hospital and seek the aid of the Method-



THE REV. A. H. DELONG.

ists here. Mr. DeLong is a minister of considerable experience, besides being connected with Ensworth hospital, and also was secretary of one of the largest hospitals in Indiana before going to St. Joseph. Besides he was author of the book "It is Not Lawful," which had quite a sale.

He will spend tomorrow in Maryville visiting the members of the congregation and in looking over the city. This is his first visit here.

He is now on a tour of northwest Missouri in the interest of the new hospital building, to replace the present one, which has become badly overcrowded. In speaking of the proposed improvement before leaving St. Joseph for Maryville yesterday, Mr. DeLong said:

"We plan to begin work on the first wing of the new Ensworth hospital early this spring. We are going ahead with the soliciting and are working out our plans, and everything looks bright for beginning construction soon."

"The first wing, which it is hoped to have completed before fall, is to cost \$125,000, according to plans. Another wing will be erected later at a cost of \$125,000 more, making the total a quarter of a million dollars."

TO STOP OVERDRAFT CUSTOM.

Federal and State Authorities Urge Banks to Require Sufficient Funds.

The time honored custom of banks carrying overdrafts for their depositors will soon be a thing of the past, according to word recently sent out from the treasury department at Washington. The First National bank of this city has received notice from that department, and the other banks in the city, which are state banks, are expected to hear from the state banking department to also co-operate.

In the letter to the First National bank, the treasury department says:

"The granting by some banks of accommodations in the form of overdrafts is objectionable and cannot be countenanced by this office."

"This practice should cease entirely. To facilitate the accomplishment of this result, the subject has been taken up by this office with the banking departments of various states, and these authorities have generally agreed to take the necessary action to secure the effective co-operation of state banks in attaining the end desired."

"You are requested to adopt a resolution directing that no officer or employee of your bank shall pay or charge to the account of any depositor any check of such depositor when there are not sufficient funds on deposit to the credit of the drawer of the check to meet the same."

Overdrawing is a custom that has become badly abused by some people in most communities, and has been done by the sufferance of the banks, as it is only an accommodation extended by them, and one which costs them a good deal of money in the course of years. Within a short time the overdraft department in bank statements will not need to be carried.

Mrs. Jacob Ziegfried of Denver, Col., arrived here today to visit her son-in-law, George W. Demott, during his illness.

BRITISH, GERMANS WARNED BY U. S.

NOTES TO BELLIGERENTS EMPHATICALLY STATES COUNTRY'S ATTITUDE.

PROTECTS AMERICAN LIFE AND PROPERTY

Will Hold Germany Accountable for Losses—Great Britain Told to Prevent Misuse of Flag.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The outcome of the emphatic demands made by the state department in notes directed to both Germany and Great Britain, warning them in strong terms against menacing the vessels or lives of American citizens traversing the recently proclaimed sea zones of war is anxiously awaited by United States officials and foreign diplomats here today.

Answers are expected soon, although neither was presented until this morning. Both notes were prepared by Counselor Robert Lansing and revised by President Wilson and Secretary Bryan after cabinet consultation.

In diplomatic circles the notes created something of a sensation for their frankness and severity. The note to Germany explained that that country would be held to a strict accounting for the destruction of American vessels or the loss of American lives. That to Great Britain was in respect to the misuse of the American flag by British ships.

The protest which has been made to the government by Henry Van Dyke, United States minister to The Hague, concerning Germany's interference with his duties at Luxemburg, also is causing no little anxiety among government officials. While everything possible will be done to peaceably "iron out" the matter, the matter is a delicate one which may bring the two countries into conflict quicker than through any other breach.

STRUGGLE IS NEAR END

Russians Say Operation Now on Will Definitely Solve Outcome in East Prussia.

Petrograd, Feb. 12.—Further explanation of the retirement of the Russians in east Prussia is made today in an official statement which says: "It is believed that we are upon the eve of a great operation which must solve definitely the struggle between the Russians and the Teutonic forces in east Prussia."

To Spend Week End.

Mrs. R. G. Koch left today for St. Joseph, where she will meet Mr. Koch and they will spend the week end visiting.

FERN, TONIGHT



CHARLES E. BLANEY "Across The Pacific"

Five Acts. 5 and 10 cents 442 Scenes 7:15 and 8:30

THE WEATHER

Unsettled tonight and Saturday; probably rain; fresh winds.

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Announcement.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. Bert Cooper for county superintendent of schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election on Tuesday, April 6.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

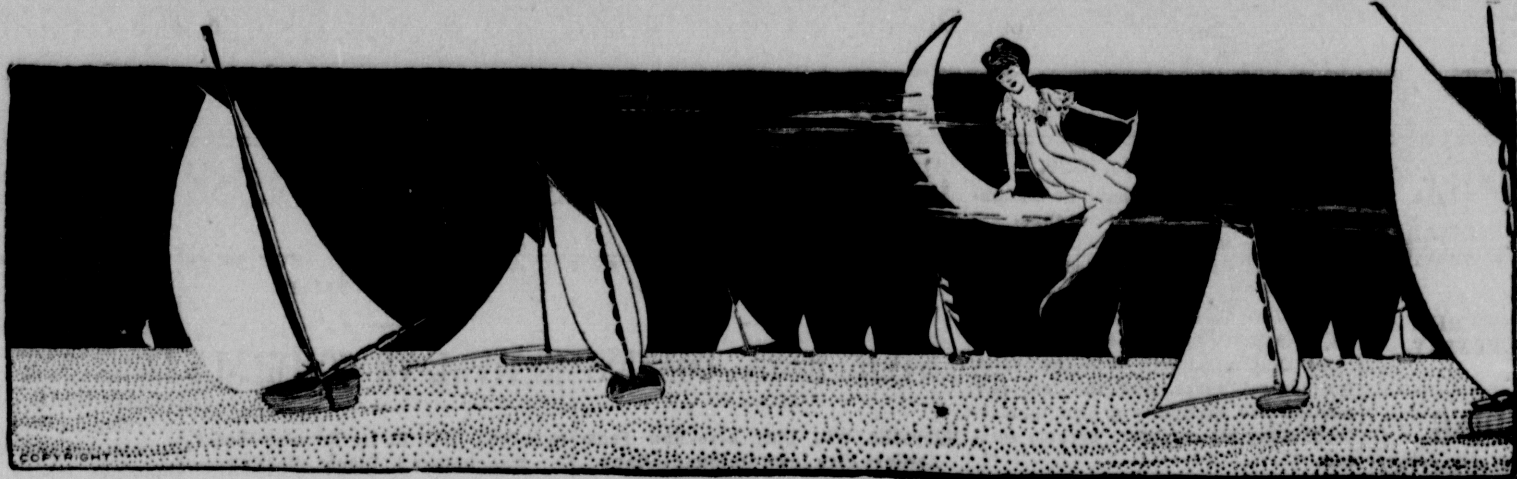
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector of Polk township, subject to the Republican nominating convention. CLARENCE GREEN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for township assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention. ED F. HAMLIN.

Loses Finger in Wringer.
Geneva Day, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Logan of Graham, had the third finger of her right hand so badly crushed in a clothes wringer as to make amputation of part of her finger necessary Wednesday.

There Is No Question but that indigestion and the distressed feeling which always goes with it can be promptly relieved by taking a **Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet** before and after each meal. 25c a box. Grear-Henry Drug Co.



Our Annual White Goods Sale

Starts Saturday Morning, February 13

Special reduced prices prevail on Muslin Underwear, Embroideries and Laces, all White Goods, and every other article in our store that is of all White Texture.

Do not fail to attend this sale as You will want to see the new things

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

FINISH BRIDGE PIER WORK.

Tri-County Structure Work Retarded—Begin on Steel Part Soon.

The tubing for the piers and the foundations for the tri-county bridge to span the Nodaway river where the counties of Nodaway, Holt and Andrew converge, has been completed and work now will be begun on the steel work, according to John Clary, county highway engineer.

The work on the improvement has been retarded a great deal because of the weather conditions, but from now on the work is expected to progress rapidly, at least until the spring freshets arrive.

Rents Hopkins Farm.

Mell Hopple, who has been running the Fred Davis farm near Maryville, has rented the 240-acre farm belonging to Wes Shroyer, east of Hopkins and will move there March 1.—Hopkins Journal.

PREACHES TO ARKOE CHRISTIANS

T. J. Reznor, Amazonia, Will Make Two Addresses There Sunday—Former Resident.

The Rev. T. J. Reznor of Amazonia, formerly pastor of the Christian church in that town, arrived in Maryville today en route to Arkoe, where he will deliver two sermons at the Christian church Sunday. His morning topic will be "The Christian Life," while that night he will talk on "Visions and New Movements."

Mr. Reznor preaches the first and third Sundays of each month now at the Clearmont Christian church and will probably preach from now on on the second Sunday of the month at Arkoe and on the fourth Sunday at the Salem church.

Mr. Reznor formerly lived in this county, having taught school at Gufford in 1881 and 1882.

NORMALS TO GIVE PLAY.

Eurekan Literary Society to Present "Tomkin's Hired Man" at the School Tonight.

"Tomkin's Hired Man," a comedy, will be presented in the Normal school auditorium tonight by the Eurekan Literary society of the State Normal school. Prof. Harry A. Miller has been assisting the society in the preparation of the play.

The following are the characters in the play and the pupils who represent the parts:

Mr. Tomkins—Earl Borchers.
Mrs. Tomkins—Madge Dawson.
Louise Tomkins, daughter—Jane Gladstone.
Julia Tomkins, daughter—Mary Wallace.
Ruth Tomkins, niece—Gladys Criswell.
John Remington, the hired man—Halley Ford.

Burlington Sprinter Falls.

Charles Cornell, the 3,000-mile walker, arrived in Burlington Junction Thursday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cornell. Charles walked 1,200 of the 3,000, but says he had to give it up on account of cold weather. Says he found many places in the south where there were no bridges and wading streams waist deep with the mercury several degrees below the freezing point wasn't a pleasant pastime.—Burlington Junction Post.

To Give Home Talent Play.

A home talent play by pupils of the Lorain school, near Burlington Junction, will be held at the school house tonight. It is announced. Miss Horne, teacher is leading in the dramatic work. There are thirteen characters in the play.

The women of the First Methodist church will hold an all-day market Saturday at the McCrary millinery store. Will serve hot lunch noon and evening. Home-made bread a specialty.

FARM FOR SALE.

The Sturm farm, 100 acres, 4 miles south of Maryville. Good school across the road. Will sell at a bargain. NICK STURN, Executor.

METHODIST MEN INSTALL.

M. E. Brotherhood Changes Officers Following Banquet—The Rev. S. D. Harkness Talks.

The installation of the new officers for the year, following a banquet, was held at the monthly meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist Episcopal church last night. Several new members also were received. An interesting address on the possibilities of the brotherhood of a church was made by the Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor, and several members of the Brotherhood also made talks, following the installation.

The new officers are George Moore, president; M. D. Kemp, vice president; Chester Bennett, secretary; Marvin Curnutt, treasurer; Clun Price, watchman, and the Rev. G. S. Cox, chaplain.

CHURCHES HOLD REVIVAL.

Congregations Join in Evangelistic Services—Meetings Well Attended.

The series of revival meetings being held at the Methodist Episcopal church of Skidmore have been attended with great interest. The meetings are held jointly by the congregations of the North and South Methodist churches, and are being conducted by the two pastors, the Rev. M. Dewitt and the Rev. C. H. Sauceman. So far thirty-nine have been converted. The plan is to close the meetings Sunday night, but if sufficient interest is shown they may continue.

To Hold School Social.

A box and pie supper will be held tonight at the Independence school house by Miss Rhoda Brown, teacher.

Texas Bars Missouri Stock.

Missouri was quarantined against stock shipments by the Texas live stock sanitary commission yesterday because of the foot and mouth disease.

"There's just got to be team work if —you're playing to win."



I picked up a good old partner that brings joy in bunches. I do love a good cigar, and if you find a better nickel smoke anywhere than the

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will give you—I'll eat your hat without any salad dressing!"

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12



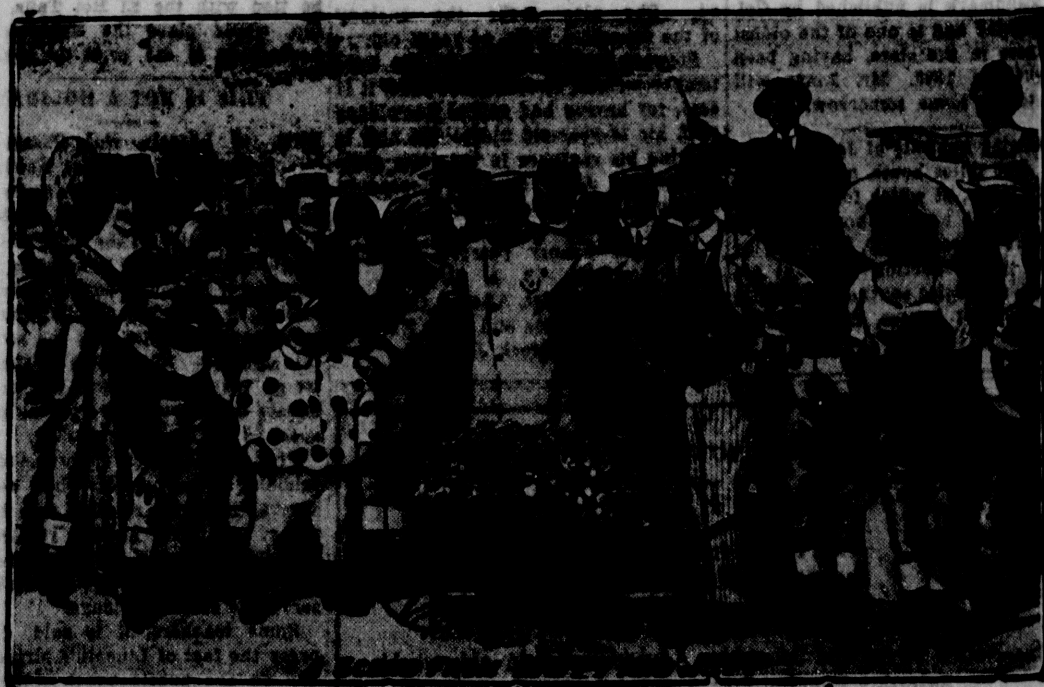
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In Mexico



See Our Heroes Take Vera Cruz with Smokeless Powder
See the Chorus of Mexican Maidens

Prices—25-50-75-\$1.00. Box \$1.50
SEAT SALE TO BEGIN THURSDAY FEBRUARY 11.



Scene in MUTT and JEFF in Mexico, February 12, Empire Theatre

Only One More Day of Our Great House Dress Sale

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MARYVILLE, MO.

The Busy Store With Little Prices

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Dinner Party.

Prof. and Mrs. E. R. Utter were the hosts of a dinner party given at noon today, at which their guests were the Rev. R. B. Heiser of Trenton, Mo., who is visiting in the city, and Prof. and Mrs. Harry Burnell Schuler.

Y. W. C. A. Given Invitation.

The Young Women's Christian Association of the Normal is extended an invitation to meet with the Young Woman's Missionary society of the

First Methodist church at its meeting to be held tomorrow at the home of Miss Audrey Howendobler, 401 South Buchanan street.

Arts and Crafts To Meet.

The Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century club will meet at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leslie E. Dean, with Mrs. William J. Montgomery as leader.

Birthday Supper.

Truman Landon, the son of Prof. P. O. Landon, reached his tenth birthday anniversary yesterday, and to make the occasion a happy one, his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Landon, entertained a few of his friends with a supper party last night.

Valentine Party.

B. E. Condon and his sister, Miss Mary, entertained the members of the

intermediate department of the C. E. Society of the First Christian church with a Valentine party at their home last night. The game of hearts was played and Valentine favors were used in decorating. The hosts were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. B. E. Condon, Miss Besse Porter, Miss Thelma Hogue, Miss Gertrude Condon, Ellison Frank and Goff Crawford. Thirty were entertained.

Edward Bohm Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Michau Townsend announce the birth of their son Thursday, February 11. The child has been named Edward Bohm. The name combines those of the baby's grandfathers, E. L. Townsend of this city and Henry Bohm of Denver, Col. Previous to her marriage, Mrs. Townsend was Miss Lillian Bohm.

Surprise Party.

Mr. John Holtman of Clyde was given a surprise party recently on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. An oyster supper was followed by an evening with music and games. The guests were Miss Rose Myer, Miss Mattie O'Riley, Miss Gertrude Dixon, Miss Nora Ellerman, Miss Villens, Mr. O'Riley, John Hankler, Charles Villens and John Ryan.

Double Wedding.

Dr. C. M. Chilton, pastor of the First Christian church of St. Joseph, performed a double wedding ceremony yesterday afternoon in the church parlors. The couples united in marriage were Walter McGinness and Miss Birde Newland, and Lee Smock and Miss Chloma Lawrence, all of Skidmore. The newly wedded couples returned last night to Skidmore, which will be their home.

I X L to Entertain.

The I X L club will entertain its members and their husbands with a valentine party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp, on Thursday night of next week. The gathering will be held in honor of several of the members who are leaving soon for California to make an extended visit. The club is losing another of its members, Mrs. Wilbur C. Smith, who leaves soon for Pickering to reside. At the last meeting of the club Mrs. Smith was presented an I X L souvenir spoon as a farewell remembrance.

Miss Onstot Hostess.

Miss Lida Onstot entertained the members of the I. I. Club Wednesday afternoon at her home, northwest of the city, with a prettily arranged thimble tea. A short program of literary and musical numbers was given. Those present were Mrs. A. H. Hughes, Mrs. John Halasey, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. Claud Shell, Mrs. Will Osborn.

You—Or No One Else
cares to be bald. Yet that is what will happen if your hair does not stop falling out.

Rexall "93"
Hair Tonic
in our opinion is the best hair tonic on the market. Sold only by us—50 cents.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Mrs. A. L. Taylor and Mrs. B. R. Kinsley. Mrs. Kinsley was a guest of the club members. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. A. H. Hughes.

Birthday Dinner Party.

Mrs. J. C. Curfman gave a dinner party last night at her home, on South Main street, to mark the seventh birthday anniversary of her granddaughter, Virginia Curfman. The table appointments were carried out in pink and white, and the centerpiece was a large birthday cake, surrounded by seven pink and white candles, the cake being prepared for the occasion by the little girl's great-aunt, Miss Katherine Curfman. The guests included Mrs. Katherine Walker, a great-great-aunt; Mrs. Margaret Curfman, great-grandmother, and Miss Katherine Curfman, great-aunt of little Miss Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curfman and daughters, Laura, Helen, Mary Ruth and Gerude; Roy J. Curfman, Faye Farmer and Ralph Hotchkiss.

Wedding Dance.

A dancing party was given Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiederholt, near Clyde, in honor of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miller. Mrs. Miller was Miss Mary Wiederholt before her marriage to Mr. Miller which took place Tuesday morning at the Conception church, the Rev. Father Placidus reading the marriage service. After the dance, a two course supper was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Miss Mamie Sullivan, Miss Maceline Sullivan, Miss Rose Myer, Miss Mary Farnan, Miss Nora Ellerman, Miss Agnes Wolfer, Miss Suabach, Miss Rose Miller, Miss Mary Biley, Miss Frances Eicholt, Miss Mary Hankler, Miss Norar Zervas, Miss Hattie Sullivan, John Hankler, John King, John Myer, Fred Sharp, Chris Derks, George Derks, Joseph Teson, Matt Suabach, Ed Wiederholt, Arthur Eckhouse, Frowin King, George Wiederholt and Joseph Biley. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will make their home on a farm near Clyde.

Bridge Luncheon.

One of the most charming affairs of recent date was the Valentine bridge luncheon given yesterday at the home of Mrs. Ed G. Orear with Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Mrs. J. F. Colby, Mrs. M. Nusbaum and Mrs. Orear as hostesses. Innumerable red hearts in all sizes, were used for the adornment of the rooms. Doorways and windows were screened with festoons of hearts hung from red ribbons, and every detail of the decorations was in keeping with Valentine spirit. The luncheon table was exquisitely appointed. A novel centerpiece, placed on a cluny cloth, was a mound of green fern leaves surrounded by a circle of pierced hearts. Strands of tiny red hearts on ribbons, were draped from the chandelier to the table. The place cards were red Valentines, on which was written an original couplet of special significance to the guest. Tally cards were in the form of Valentines. The prize for the high score, a mahogany serving tray, was won by Miss Elizabeth Turner. Guests and hostess are the members of the Monday afternoon bridge club and the luncheon was the outcome of a wager made at the beginning of the series of games that the losers entertain the winners. The guests were Mrs. C. Edward Signs, Mrs. John Wesley Herren, Mrs. Charles Jackson, Miss Elizabeth Turner and Mrs. A. Swike of Plattsburg, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nusbaum.

William Lazenby of near Gaynor City was in Maryville today to visit his daughter, Mrs. Rame Shroyer, and her husband.

Charles H. Miller of near Quitman has bought the 80-acre farm of Chris Bowman, a mile and a half northeast of Quitman, the consideration being \$7,000. Wes Miller has leased the place this year. Mr. Bowman will go to Wyoming to live soon.

FIVE-MINUTE CURE IF STOMACH IS BAD

When "Pape's Diapain" Reaches
Stomach All Indigestion, Gas and
Sourness Disappears.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapain is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, cramps and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eructations of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapain comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.

Alderman Yehle

Advance Spring Showing

WE are receiving, every day, new spring goods, and you will find on display in nearly every department advance spring merchandise, but today we are featuring the advance styles in ready-to-wear apparel.

Tailored Suits

There is so little difference in weights between materials for spring and those for winter, that women can wear a spring suit without fear of catching cold. Consequently those buying suits now will get a full spring wear from the garment.

The suits receiving the greatest amount of attention, are the short jacket effects, reaching just below the waist line and those that just cover the hips.

The skirts are of various types, but the tendency seems to favor the more conservative measurements, from 2½ to 3 yards around, with the circular and flare effects.

The materials employed include Serges, Gabardines, Coverts and Poplins. The colorings receiving the most interest are the dull shades, such as shepherd checks, tans, black, navy, Belgian blue, and sand colors.

We have just received a nice assortment of the newest creations in Tailored Suits, separate coats and dresses for spring, and as it is impossible for us to describe these garments fully, it will be necessary for you to call and see these in order to realize the beauty and refinement expressed in these new styles.

**We Call Attention to Our Extraordinary Sale of High Shoes.
These are Bargains for You.**

A. M. Howard III, days with pneumonia. His condition today was slightly better, but is still critical.

Announcement

We have purchased the South Side Hardware of C. A. Barbour, the inventory is now finished and the store is open for business. We shall be very glad to have you call and see us, whether you buy or not, and we assure you of the very best treatment possible.

In taking the inventory and re-arranging the stock we find some lines entirely too heavy, and we are going to make some very attractive prices to move the goods quickly.

Come in and get our prices when you need anything in our line.

Mr. Jesse Paulette, salesman and Mr. James Rigney, expert tinner and furnace man will remain with the store and will be pleased to have their friends call and see them.

Garrett & Eckert Hardware Co.
South Side Hardware

Buy Denham's Harness

Buy Denham's Harness now

**Buy Denham's Harness before
you go to plow**

**Buy Denham's Harness, pay
for it in advance**

**So Old Bill Moyer can buy a pair
of Pants.**

All Winter Goods Will Be Sold at Cost

This will give you the chance to supply yourself or the boy with any winter clothes of which you may still be in need.

New Spring Goods Are Arriving Daily. Come in and look over these new supplies in Men's Furnishings.

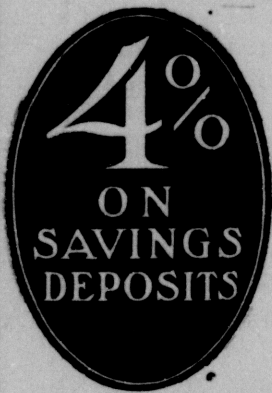
SHOES

We are ready with a complete line of SHOES for you. Well known makes in both Dress Shoes and Work Shoes.

M. Nusbaum

Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today



Deposits of One Dollar and upwards Received in our Savings Department.

Interest Paid Twice A Year

Oldest Bank in The County

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
A BANK FOR SAVINGS
MARYVILLE — MISSOURI

Safety First



FOLLOW THE FLAG

To San Francisco
San Diego Exposition
and Return **\$51.48**

via
WABASH

Perhaps the prime motive of most people who make this trip will be to visit these great expositions yet there are numerous attractions all along the way

The Stop-Over Privileges on These Tickets are Very Liberal

Many free side trips, including a voyage at sea without additional charge.

Rates are effective March 1st, to November 30th, 1915. Final return limit 3 months from date of sale but not later than December 31st, 1915.

We thank you for the inquiry and will be glad to give you the best possible information at all times.

E. L. FERRITOR, Agent

Closing Out Sale

I will sell at auction on the John Risbon farm, 1 1/4 miles northeast of Arkoe, about eight miles southeast of Maryville, commencing at 10:00 a. m.,

Tuesday, February 16, 1915

10 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 black horse, 7 years old, weight 1,600; 1 bay horse, 3 years old, weight 1,100. 1 span of mules, five and six years old, weight about 1,100; 1 span brood mares, 10 and 12 years old, weight about 1,600, both with foal by Phenix; 1 gray mare, 9 years old, 1 sorrel mare 10 years old, both with foal; 1 yearling horse colt; 1 weanling colt.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE—21 head of spring calves, 7 head of milk cows, 10 head of 2-year-old heifers, springers.

25 HEAD OF HOGS—15 head of Poland-China gilts, 10 head stock hogs. About 1,000 bushels of corn, between 15 and 20 tons of baled alfalfa hay.

Lunch served by the Ladies of the Arkoe M. E. Church.

TERMS:—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months time on approved notes bearing 8 per cent from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

E. P. MOSHER, Auctioneer.
J. T. GOFF, Clerk.

J. B. Clements

DID CHILD WAKE UP CROSS OR FEVERISH?

Look, Mother! If Tongue is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs" to Clean the Bowels.

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Arrives From Kansas City.

Miss Gladys Ambrose of Kansas City, will arrive in Maryville tonight to spend the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode. She will be met at St. Joseph by Mr. Rickenbrode, who is returning tonight from a meeting of the Normal board of regents held at St. Joseph.

Miss Gertrude Dixon has returned to her home after a visit of several days with Miss Nora Ellerman of Clyde.

You Can Have
In Time of Need
If You Save
In Time of
Plenty

When you have more money than is necessary for your immediate needs, then is the time to save. It is easy to save. It is easy to save then. Compound interest will make your small account grow amazingly. You will be glad you have prepared for bad times. Many a fortune has no larger start than the first dollar saved.

Farmers Trust Company

"HOME OF SAVINGS"
Maryville, - Missouri

A Bethany man on going home the other night woke up his wife and jubilantly said: "My dear, I have found the key of success." "Well," she replied, looking him over carefully, "if you stay in your present condition you will never find the key hole."

FOR SALE—10 acre improved place, 2 miles east and 1/2 mile south city. Price \$2,000. \$500 cash and balance back on place. Yeo Bros., 413 North Main st. 12-15.

If You Are Losing Weight and your nerves are in bad condition, we recommend

Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
containing Hypophosphites
a food and nerve tonic prescription.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Holmes & Wolfert

A Few Bargains in City Property

We have some very choice City properties and below you will find some rare bargains; now is the time to buy.

A 5 room house, one lot, just off

West Seventh st., price \$1800.

A 7 room cottage good as new, city water, sewerage and barn \$2500.

A 7 room house on North Main, price \$3250.

Two five room houses on one lot, West Fifth st., price \$3500.

9 room house, modern, on West Seventh street, price \$4500.

10 room house, modern, South Main, price \$4250.

11 room house, two lots, near Normal, price \$3500.

7 room house, three lots, in good condition, price \$2600.

8 room house, modern in every way, South Buchanan street, price \$5000.

8 room house, modern and new, three lots, great bargain, price \$3800.

6 room house, 2 lots, price \$2000.

8 room house, modern, on West Third street, price \$4500.

Acreage Properties

10 acres, good house and barn, near city, price \$3740.

5 acres, good house and barn, price \$2500.

4 acres, five room house, barn, cave, chicken house, near City, price \$3500.

Building Lots

To those desiring building lots for spring come and see us, we have some very choice lots in an exclusive district that will be placed on the market to the parties that wish to live in an exclusive district, and every thing made pleasant for builders of homes.

Holmes & Wolfert

Do Not Grip

We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

Rexall Orderlies

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents. Orear-Henry Drug Co.

FOR SALE—Two high grade yearling bulls, 1 Hereford and 1 Shorthorn. No better in the country. Elmer Fraser. 12-18

With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most elderly people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is necessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need My Kind.

H. L. RAINES
Jeweler and Optician
110 W. 3rd. St.

Send Her Flowers

For St. Valentines Day February 14th. Sweet Peas, Violets, Red Roses and Red Carnations are the most appropriate for this occasion and we want to also mention our special Valentine Boxes, which makes Engelmann's Valentines of Flowers indeed the most appropriate Valentine that you can send sweetheart, mother, wife or friend. Phone and Mail orders receive special attention

The Engelmann Greenhouses

1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

KARL R. MALOTTE,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office over Thomas Parle's drug store.
MARYVILLE, MO.
Both Phones.

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AT LAW.
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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
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DEMOCRAT-FORUM

WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—20 acres adjoining city limits, well improved, good location for small dairy or truck garden. See Joseph Jackson, Jr. 8-11

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Some good, bright cane hay. L. D. Lynch, 2 miles west on Prather farm. 9-15

FOR SALE—Mammoth bronze tom turkeys, sired by a 45-lb tom. Mrs. J. H. Alexander, Pickering, Mo., telephone exchange Orrsburg. 9-15

FOR SALE—1 pair work mules, gentle and broke; 1 pair 2-year-olds, coming 3 in spring. Inquire D. M. Hughes, Farmers Telephone 54 city. 8-13

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front, Farmers phone 45-0-11. 26-11

FOR SALE—Roll top desk, small table, rocking chair and other office furniture. Hanamo 10. 10-12

FOR SALE—Old Trusty incubators, delivered, freight paid to any station at factory price. E. L. Andrews. 30-11

Miscellaneous.

Pie and box supper will be given at W. O. W. hall Monday night, Feb. 15, instead of Friday, Feb. 12. 9-11

RAGS WANTED—Good, clean rags. Must be free from lint and buttons. Bring to this office.

SPECIAL SALE—Soft stove wood, \$3.00; hard stove wood, \$4.00 a load. All you can get on with sideboards, delivered. Saunders Bros. 10-11

FOUND—Strayed Duroc Jersey aged boar, weight about 300 lbs, at the Robert Wells farm, 2 miles southwest of Maryville. Call Hanamo 45. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. 10-13

ALFALFA—Barn browned, first crop, sweet, leafy, \$14.50. Third crop, good color, sweet leaf, \$16.50. On Burlington track. Elmer Fraser.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

FACIAL TREATMENT FOR LADIES—Blackheads, liver spots, etc., permanently removed. Call at 422 West Third street, Maryville, Mo. Treatments Wednesdays and Fridays. 8-13

WANTED—Students who want to learn German or students who need tutoring in German; experienced in teaching. Call Hanamo 146. Clara Meyer. 12-15

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Farm For Sale

We will sell 160 acres of land in Atchison township, Nodaway county, Missouri, known as a part of the Joseph Johnson estate. 50 acres fall plowed. Here is as good land as lays out of doors and it will pay you to come and see it for it is a bargain for some one. Running water the year round. Land is well fenced but no other improvements. \$7000 mortgage due in four years from October 1, 1914, at 6 per cent. Will carry \$5000 for four years yearly payments from January 1, 1915, at 6 per cent. \$1000 on day of sale and balance when papers are made out. Will give perfect title. Come and look it over before day of sale.

Friday, February 26, 1915

We will also hold a public sale on the above date beginning at 10 a. m. sharp. This sale includes 19 head of Horses and Mules, 20 head of Cattle, 22 head of Hogs, Grain, Implements, etc. This sale will be held at the farm, 4 miles southeast of Braddyville and 8 miles west of Hopkins. Terms—As usual.

C. C. Holbrook & Co.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at public sale on the J. B. Garner farm, 7 miles southwest of Maryville and one mile north of Rockford church, on

Monday, February 15

the following property:

12 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—consisting of 1 span of good work mules, six years old; 1 mule 9 years old; 1 driving team, 8 years old; 1 trotting bred mare, 3 years old; 2 trotting bred colts, 2 years old; 2 yearling draft colts; 1 weanling colt; 1 blind mare, 6 years old with foal.

20 HEAD OF CATTLE—consisting of 5 milch cows; 5 yearling steers; 3 yearling heifers; 7 calves.

33 HEAD OF HOGS—consisting of 1 sow with 8 pigs; 1 sow with 6 pigs; 1 sow with 7 pigs; 1 sow with 5 pigs; 2 sows.

IMPLEMENTS—1 7-foot McCormick binder, good as new; 1 hay rake; 1 lister and drill combined; 1 disc cultivator; 2 wagons; 1 buggy; 3 sets of work harness; 1 set of buggy harness.

CORN—About 800 bushels.

TERMS:—3 to 6 months credit on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

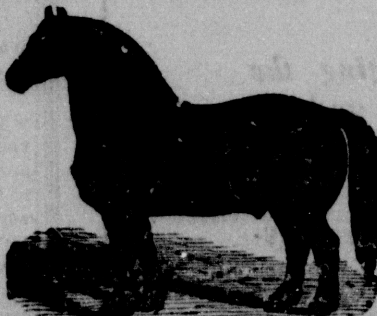
Lunch by Binter & O'Grady.

E. P. MOSHER, Auct.
J. D. RICHY, Clerk.

Seipel Bros.

WANTED

Horses and Mares



From 5 to 10 Years Old Weighing 1100 to 2000 Pounds I WILL BE IN

Wilcox, Forenoon Tuesday, February 16
Quitman, Afternoon Tuesday, February 16

I will be in your town on above named dates to buy horses and mares from 5 to 10 years old, from 1000 to 2000 pounds. I want as many good chunks as you lead to me, of ages and weights mentioned above. If you have a good one give me a look, I will show you I come to buy. I have no market for ponies of leggy or blemished stuff but I have for the good kind. Lead them in and get the money. All Horses and Mares heavy bone, any color but light gray.

FRANK ADAMS

The Old Reliable Horse Buyer

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

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NO. 218.

STANDARD WILL DECIDE ON HOME

DIRECTORS OF POLAND-CHINA ASSOCIATION MEET MONDAY.

WORK ON BUILDING STARTS IN SPRING

Building to House Record Workers Will Be One-Story Brick, and Cost \$15,000.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Standard Poland-China Record association to decide on a site and plans for a one-story brick building to house the association, will be held Monday morning, beginning at 9 o'clock in the association offices, Third and Market streets. The call for a special meeting was decided upon yesterday by W. O. Garrett and Fred P. Robinson, special building committee, after the completion of the rough drawings for the home.

The session also was called for Monday, as that is the only day for a week or ten days that the secretary, Ray Davis, will be in Maryville, as he is spending most of his time now attending hog sales in Iowa, Missouri and other central west states. At this conference definite action will be taken relative to a site and plans, according to Mr. Garrett.

Dozen Sites to Pick From.

The directors will have more than a dozen sites to choose from, while three plans for the building have been submitted by Martin Borrsch of this city, James H. Schaack of Seattle, Wash., who is visiting C. D. Bellows here, and a St. Joseph architect.

It is the belief of the building committee that a suitable home for the association can be built for about \$15,000. It will be not less than 30 by 60 feet in dimensions, is to be one story high and of brick construction, and will contain a vault to cost not less than \$1,500, according to Mr. Garrett. On account of the crowded condition now of the association headquarters, it is the intention of the directors to push the building to completion as soon as possible. Immediately after the conference here Monday a contract for the drawing of the building blue print and the purchase of a site will be made, and actual work on the building will be begun not later than April 1, according to Mr. Garrett.

To Be Ready in August.

Barring unexpected delays the home will be ready for occupancy, it is believed, by August. While it is the intention of the building committee to try to locate the association building in the business section, it is also of primary importance to have it within close distance of the postoffice, as most of the association's business is really transacted through the mails.

The association directors who will decide on a site and home Monday are W. O. Garrett, chairman, and F. P. Robinson of Maryville; J. C. Meese, Ord, Neb.; L. R. McClarnon, Braddyville, Ia.; Thomas A. Shattuck, Hastings, Neb.; Thomas J. Dawe, Troy, Kan., and S. S. Spangler, Milan, Mo.

EDITOR ATTENDS CONVENTION

Max Jones of Platte City, Visits School of Methods.

Max Jones, who is connected with the Platte City Landmark, has been in Maryville for the past few days attending the "School of Methods," in session at the First Christian church. The Landmark is published by Col. W. T. Jenkins and is one of the oldest newspapers in the state, having been established in 1865. Mr. Jones will return to his home tomorrow.

The closing out sale of James Blagg & Son, nine miles south of Maryville, was held today, at which forty head of cows, forty-one head of hogs and one horse were offered. J. T. Mounts also held the public auction today at his residence, two miles south of Maryville of a number of horses, mules, cattle and hogs.

J. C. DUTTON, 82, DIES.

Succumbs This Afternoon at Daughter's Home—Funeral Arrangements Later.

J. C. Dutton, aged 82, died at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, 1209 North Main street.

Mr. Dutton had been in failing health for several years, and the last few months had gradually grown weaker. Wednesday his condition became serious. Mr. Dutton passed his eighty-second birthday last Saturday. With his wife he came from New York to Nodaway county in 1870 and had made his home here since. This winter both Mr. and Mrs. Dutton made their home with their daughter, Mrs. Hanna.

Beside his wife and daughter living in this city, Mr. Dutton is survived by another daughter, Mrs. George C. Toel of St. Joseph. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

CONSERVATORY GIVES CONCERTS.

Musicales Held Twice Daily at the Recital Hall.

A victrola musicale is being held the last three days of the week at the Maryville Conservatory of Music, which is in charge of E. B. Nelson of Omaha, a representative of the Victor firm. Musical programs are given during the afternoons and will also be given tonight and tomorrow night.

Tea was served this afternoon by the young women of the Conservatory faculty, assisted by Mrs. H. B. Schuler, Mrs. Mary Landon and Miss May Orear. A reception and tea will be given tomorrow afternoon, at which other friends will assist.

A general and free invitation has been extended to the public to attend all of the musicales.

EMPLOYEES GIVE "FASHION SHOW."

Haines Clerks Hold a Novel Dress Exhibit Which Pleases.

A novel advertising plan was introduced yesterday by the clerks of the Haines store, who put on a fashion show, to exhibit, not their Sunday-go-to-meeting creations, but house dresses.

It was a big shift in the scenery to see a young woman behind the counter, dressed in the simple frock which the feminine portion of the family reserves for the kitchen.

In the absence of the proprietor, who is at the eastern fashion show, the clerks created one of their own. Each girl wore a dress of different fashion and presented an appearance so attractive that every shopper who visited the store had a great desire to look likewise.

RENOVED PRIEST AT ABBEY.

Bishop of Ohio Diocese Visiting at Conception.

Conception abbey is entertaining the Rt. Rev. Bishop Schrembs of Toledo, O., who is one of the most brilliant orators of the Catholic hierarchy.

Bishop Schrembs, being deeply interested in the reform of the church music as inaugurated by the late Pope Pius X, is pursuing special studies along these lines together with the Rev. Father Gregory, O. S. B., of Conception, who is a recognized authority on church music.

MATE JAILED; ASKS DIVORCE.

Husband of Mrs. Mary E. Stewart of Elmo, Now in Prison for Mistreating His Niece

A suit for divorce, on the grounds that her husband, William E. Stewart, is now in prison, for committing a felony, was filed in circuit court today by Mary E. Stewart of Elmo. She says they were married on December 18, 1890, and lived together until a few months ago, when he was convicted. She also seeks the custody of the one child, Zola, 14 years old.

Stewart was convicted in the September term of circuit court here, it is said, for having had carnal knowledge with his 15-year-old niece. He now is serving his sentence in the state penitentiary at Jefferson City, according to Deputy Sheriff Callahan.

Nodaway county patrons included the following: J. J. Strickler, D. Sanders, H. Rowlett, Allen & Co., C. E. Alderman, V. Fakes and J. B. Nunnely.—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

TOURNEY NEAREND

BOWLING FIGHT BETWEEN EMPIRE AND HAINES NOW.

ENTER IOWA CONTEST

Maryville Will Play Five-Man Team Against Five Iowa Quintets—Many Prizes Are Offered.

With but one more game to play yet, and that between the Empire and the Haines bowling teams, Monday night, the Maryville bowling tourney appears now as being almost cinched by the Empire team. Yet that team, by losing to the Haines triplet, will fall down to tied place with the El Roi Tans, while the Haines bunch will lead.

The tournament, which closes with Monday night's game, has brought out some remarkably good bowling talent in the city, and has also developed much more. Several high scores of 200 and more have been made during the contest. The final fray will be followed by a banquet to the players at the Merchants cafe by Yeo Brothers, in whose alleys the contests have been staged this season. A prize to the winning triplet also will probably be presented at that time. The El Roi Tans won the tourney the past two years.

To Enter Iowa Tourney.

Another matter of general interest to the bowling fans of Maryville is in the fact that Maryville will furnish a five-man team for a six-town tourney to be played at Creston, February 22. All other teams in the Creston contest will hail from southern Iowa towns. They are Creston, Red Oak, Fontanelle, Shenandoah and Chariton.

While the entire list of players for the Maryville team have not been picked, four players who have expressed a willingness to compete are: Cleve Funk, Fred Diss, T. K. Wray and Edward Schumacher. Two other of the best players will be picked within a few days, according to Mr. Yeo, thereby providing one extra man for emergency.

Offer These Prizes.

The following prizes are offered in the Creston tourney.

Five-man team, first, \$25; second \$15.

Doubles, first, \$15; second, \$5.

Singles, first, \$15; second, \$5. In the next to the last game played last night the Empire won three straight games from the Haines bunch. Maulding had high average of 153, while Shanks made the high score of 184. The summary:

Empire—
Maulding 157 147 157
Shanks 184 126 144
Buthers 149 151 197

Totals 490 424 498

Haines—
Stapler 157 112 170
Saunders 183 132 122
Becker 149 126 144

Totals 489 370 436

How They Stand.

The standing to date:

Teams— Won. Lost. Pct.
Empire 21 12 .636
El Roi Tans 21 15 .583
Haines 19 14 .575

Machinists 15 21 .417
Toggerly 11 25 .306

If the Empire wins Monday night the standing of the Empire will be .667 while the Haines standing would be .528. On the other hand, if the Empire loses its standing will be .583, or will be tied with the El Roi Tans. This, too, would place the Haines at a percentage of .611, or at the top.

THIS IS NOT A HOLIDAY.

Birth of Lincoln Not Observed by Schools Nor Business Houses.

Although there is quite a general observance on February 22 each year over the country of the birth of George Washington, there is none being shown today over Nodaway county to note the birth, 106 years ago, of Abraham Lincoln, not the father, but the savior of this country. No schools of the county, as far as is known, nor business houses in Maryville are paying any respect to the civil war martyr.

Prof. Bert Cooper, superintendent of schools of the county, has received several inquiries relative to a holiday today. To each he has replied that only Thanksgiving day, Christmas and the Fourth of July are generally observed as school holidays.

Some teachers, it is said, did impress the fact of Lincoln's birthday today on the pupils by the singing of patriotic songs or recitation of poems relative to Lincoln's life.

SCHOOL TO CLOSE

TO HOLD FINAL OF FIVE DAYS MEETINGS TONIGHT.

REVIVAL TO COMMENCE

Preaching Will Be by Regular Pastor, Rev. Robert L. Finch—Meeting Begins Sunday.

The school of methods which has been in session at the First Christian church this week will close tonight. The attendance and interest had been good during the entire five days. There will be seventy graduates, who will receive certificates of proficiency at the close of the school tonight. The number of graduates and the delegates attending this school has been greatly in excess of any of the twenty-seven held last year or the ones already held this year.

The lecture by Prof. A. H. Braden, which was to have been given tonight was given last night on account of Mr. Braden's being called away from the city. The other addresses to be given tonight are on topics of special benefit to Bible school workers, and will complete the plan as presented by the instructors for Bible school workers in all grades.

Sunday the pastor, the Rev. Robert L. Finch, will begin a series of revival services at the church. He will be assisted by Harry O. Fritz, a tenor of lyceum platform fame, who has just finished with conducting the musical part of an evangelistic service at Washington, Kan. Mr. Fritz is a graduate of the Moody Bible institute at Chicago.

The laymen of the church have been planning on making this one of the largest revival services held, and expect to give liberal assistance to the pastor in his work of evangelism.

HOLDS CAMPBELL FUNERAL.

Services Held This Morning at Home, Near Arkoe.

The funeral services for Henry Campbell, living south of Arkoe, who was killed Thursday afternoon by being run over by a Burlington freight train, were held this morning at the family home, conducted by the Rev. J. L. Bilby, pastor of the Methodist church of Barnard. The interment was made in the Swinford cemetery, near Arkoe.

Mr. Campbell is survived by a wife and eight children. The children are Mrs. Emma Willis and Mrs. Polly Willis of Lansford, N. D.; Mrs. Nora Strop, William, Nettie, Earl, Virgil and Ross Campbell, living at Arkoe.

WILL FIGHT STOCK DISEASE.

Senator Craig Succeeds in Getting \$5,000 to Combat Cattle Malady.

A joint resolution by Senator Anderson Craig of Maryville, making at once available \$5,000 to prevent contagious foot and mouth disease among live stock passed the senate yesterday. The money will come from the \$50,000 appropriation to the state board of agriculture. The same resolution was introduced in the house.

The state board has been allowed \$50,000 for veterinary service, as against \$25,000 two years ago.

TO PROMOTE DAIRY WORK.

State Expert Comes Here to Encourage Co-Operation.

W. E. Foard, instructor in the college of agriculture at Columbia, arrived in Maryville yesterday to confer with the Normal faculty and some of the leading farmers and dairymen of Nodaway county relative to co-operative dairying. There are about forty farmers in the state doing this co-operative work, it is said.

Visits Sons Here.

Mrs. W. H. Tilson of Rosendale, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Burch, of Pickering, for the last two weeks, came to Maryville last night to visit a few days with her sons, W. R. Tilson and J. L. Tilson, and families before returning home.

Raise Hogs or Cattle?

The debating society of the Gray Grove school, six miles northeast of Burlington Junction, will discuss the topic, "Resolved, that cattle are more profitable to raise than hogs," in a debate there tonight. The Gray Grove community is becoming quite active in this term in social affairs and in school meetings of an educational nature.

Over 200 cases of small pox are reported in Creston and it is giving the town a blackeye in a business way although the disease is in a very light form.

TO BOOST FOR NEW HOSPITAL

The Rev. A. H. DeLong, St. Joseph, Pleads at Methodist Church Sunday for Ensworth.

The Rev. Arthur H. DeLong, field agent of Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph, will arrive here tonight, preparatory to making two addresses in the First Methodist church Sunday. In the morning he will present the proposition of building a new hospital building at St. Joseph, and in the night will deliver the regular sermon instead of the Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor.

While no subscriptions for the new institution will probably be sought here Sunday by Dr. DeLong, he will explain the needs of the Ensworth hospital and seek the aid of the Method-



THE REV. A. H. DELONG.

ists here. Mr. DeLong is a minister of considerable experience, besides being connected with Ensworth hospital, and also was secretary of one of the largest hospitals in Indiana before going to St. Joseph. Besides he was author of the book "It is Not Lawful," which had quite a sale.

He will spend tomorrow in Maryville visiting the members of the congregation and in looking over the city. This is his first visit here.

He is now on a tour of northwest Missouri in the interest of the new hospital building, to replace the present one, which has become badly overcrowded. In speaking of the proposed improvement before leaving St. Joseph for Maryville yesterday, Mr. DeLong said:

"We plan to begin work on the first wing of the new Ensworth hospital early this spring. We are going ahead with the soliciting and are working out our plans, and everything looks bright for beginning construction soon."

"The first wing, which it is hoped to have completed before fall, is to cost \$125,000, according to plans. Another wing will be erected later at a cost of \$125,000 more, making the total a quarter of a million dollars."

TO STOP OVERDRAFT CUSTOM.

Federal and State Authorities Urge Banks to Require Sufficient Funds.

The time honored custom of banks carrying overdrafts for their depositors will soon be a thing of the past, according to word recently sent out from the treasury department at Washington. The First National bank of this city has received notice from that department, and the other banks in the city, which are state banks, are expecting to hear from the state banking department to also co-operate.

In the letter to the First National bank, the treasury department says: "The granting by some banks of accommodations in the form of overdrafts is objectionable and cannot be countenanced by this office."

"This practice should cease entirely. To facilitate the accomplishment of this result, the subject has been taken up by this office with the banking departments of various states, and these authorities have generally agreed to take the necessary action to secure the effective co-operation of state banks in attaining the end desired."

"You are requested to adopt a resolution directing that no officer or employee of your bank shall pay or charge to the account of any depositor any check of such depositor when there are not sufficient funds on deposit to the credit of the drawer of the check to meet the same."

Overdrawing is a custom that has become badly abused by some people in most communities, and has been done by the sufferance of the banks, as it is only an accommodation extended by them, and one which costs them a good deal of money in the course of years. Within a short time the overdraft department in bank statements will not need to be carried.

Mrs. Jacob Ziegfried of Denver, Col., arrived here today to visit her son-in-law, George W. Demott, during his illness.

BRITISH, GERMANS WARNED BY U. S.

NOTES TO BELLIGERENTS EMPHATICALLY STATES COUNTRY'S ATTITUDE.

PROTECTS AMERICAN LIFE AND PROPERTY

Will Hold Germany Accountable for Losses—Great Britain Told to Prevent Misuse of Flag.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The outcome of the emphatic demands made by the state department in notes directed to both Germany and Great Britain, warning them in strong terms against menacing the vessels or lives of American citizens traversing the recently proclaimed sea zones of war is anxiously awaited by United States officials and foreign diplomats here today.

Answers are expected soon, although neither was presented until this morning. Both notes were prepared by Counselor Robert Lansing and revised by President Wilson and Secretary Bryan after cabinet consultation.

In diplomatic circles the notes created something of a sensation for their frankness and severity. The note to Germany explained that that country would be held to a strict accounting for the destruction of American vessels or the loss of American lives. That to Great Britain was in respect to the misuse of the American flag by British ships.

The protest which has been made to the government by Henry Van Dyke, United States minister to The Hague, concerning Germany's interference with his duties at Luxemburg, also is causing no little anxiety among government officials. While everything possible will be done to peaceably "iron out" the matter, the matter is a delicate one which may bring the two countries into conflict quicker than through any other breach.

STRUGGLE IS NEAR END

Russians Say Operation Now on Will Definitely Solve Outcome in East Prussia.

Petrograd, Feb. 12.—Further explanation of the retirement of the Russians in east Prussia is made today in an official statement which says: "It is believed that we are upon the eve of a great operation which must solve definitely the struggle between the Russians and the Teutonic forces in east Prussia."

To Spend Week End.

Mrs. R. G. Koch left today for St. Joseph, where she will meet Mr. Koch and they will spend the week end visiting.

FERN, TONIGHT



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"Across the Pacific"

Five Acts. 5 and 10 cents

442 Scenes 7:15 and 8:30

THE WEATHER

Unsettled tonight and Saturday; probably rain; fresh winds.



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Our Victor Opening

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Announcement.

We wish to announce the candidacy of Prof. Bert Cooper for county superintendent of schools of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the voters at the annual school election on Tuesday, April 6.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector of Polk township, subject to the Republican nominating convention. CLARENCE GREEN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for township assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention. ED F. HAMLIN.

Loses Finger in Wringer.

Geneva Day, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Logan of Graham, had the third finger of her right hand so badly crushed in a clothes wringer as to make amputation of part of her finger necessary Wednesday.

There Is No Question

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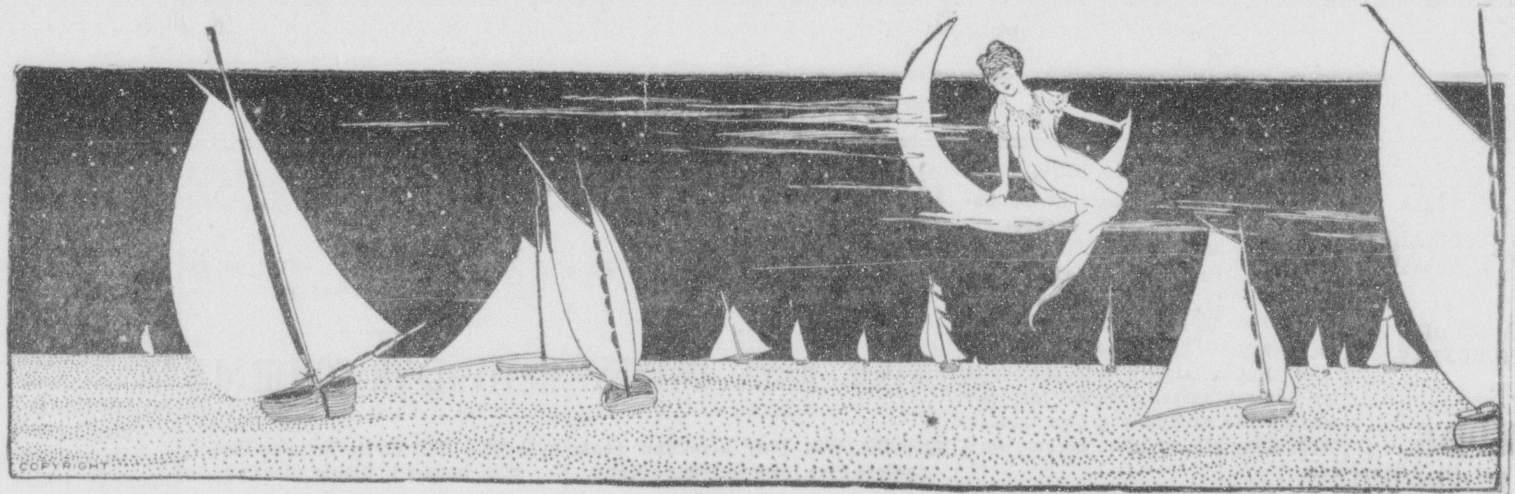
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Our Annual White Goods Sale

Starts Saturday Morning, February 13

Special reduced prices prevail on Muslin Underwear, Embroideries and Laces, all White Goods, and every other article in our store that is of all White Texture.

Do not fail to attend this sale as You will want to see the new things

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FINISH BRIDGE PIER WORK.

Tri-County Structure Work Retarded—Begin on Steel Part Soon.

The tubing for the piers and the foundations for the tri-county bridge to span the Nodaway river where the counties of Nodaway, Holt and Andrew converge, has been completed and work now will be begun on the steel work, according to John Clary, county highway engineer.

The work on the improvement has been retarded a great deal because of the weather conditions, but from now on the work is expected to progress rapidly, at least until the spring freshets arrive.

Rents Hopkins Farm.

Mell Hopple, who has been running the Fred Davis farm near Maryville, has rented the 240-acre farm belonging to Wes Shroyer, east of Hopkins and will move there March 1.—Hopkins Journal.

PREACHES TO ARKOE CHRISTIANS

T. J. Reznor, Amazonia, Will Make Two Addresses There Sunday—Former Resident.

The Rev. T. J. Reznor of Amazonia, formerly pastor of the Christian church in that town, arrived in Maryville today en route to Arkoe, where he will deliver two sermons at the Christian church Sunday. His morning topic will be "The Christian Life," while that night he will talk on "Visions and New Movements."

Mr. Reznor preaches the first and third Sundays of each month now at the Clearmont Christian church and will probably preach from now on on the second Sunday of the month at Arkoe and on the fourth Sunday at the Salem church.

Mr. Reznor formerly lived in this county, having taught school at Gullford in 1881 and 1882.

NORMALS TO GIVE PLAY.

Eurekan Literary Society to Present "Tomkin's Hired Man" at the School Tonight.

"Tomkin's Hired Man," a comedy, will be presented in the Normal school auditorium tonight by the Eurekan Literary society of the State Normal school. Prof. Harry A. Miller has been assisting the society in the preparation of the play.

The following are the characters in the play and the pupils who represent the parts:

Mr. Tomkins—Earl Borchers.
Mrs. Tomkins—Madge Dawson.
Louise Tomkins, daughter—Jane Gladstone.
Julia Tomkins, daughter—Mary Wallace.
Ruth Tomkins, niece—Gladys Criswell.
John Remington, the hired man—Halley Ford.

Burlington Sprinter Falls.

Charles Cornell, the 3,000-mile walker, arrived in Burlington Junction Thursday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cornell. Charles walked 1,200 of the 3,000, but says he had to give it up on account of cold weather. Says he found many places in the south where there were no bridges and wading streams waist deep with the mercury several degrees below the freezing point wasn't a pleasant pastime.—Burlington Junction Post.

To Give Home Talent Play.

A home talent play by pupils of the Lorain school, near Burlington Junction, will be held at the school house tonight, it is announced. Miss Horne, teacher is leading in the dramatic work. There are thirteen characters in the play.

The women of the First Methodist church will hold an all-day market Saturday at the McCrary millinery store. Will serve hot lunch noon and evening. Home-made bread a specialty.

FARM FOR SALE.

The Sturm farm, 160 acres, 4 miles south of Maryville. Good school across the road. Will sell at a bargain. NICK STURM, Executor.

METHODIST MEN INSTALL.

M. E. Brotherhood Changes Officers Following Banquet—The Rev. S. D. Harkness Talks.

The installation of the new officers for the year, following a banquet, was held at the monthly meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist Episcopal church last night. Several new members also were received.

An interesting address on the possibilities of the brotherhood of a church was made by the Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor, and several members of the Brotherhood also made talks, following the installation.

The new officers are George Moore, president; M. D. Kemp, vice president; Chester Bennett, secretary; Marvin Curnutt, treasurer; Clun Price, watchman, and the Rev. G. S. Cox, chaplain.

CHURCHES HOLD REVIVAL.

Congregations Join in Evangelistic Services—Meetings Well Attended.

The series of revival meetings being held at the Methodist Episcopal church of Skidmore have been attended with great interest. The meetings are held jointly by the congregations of the North and South Methodist churches, and are being conducted by the two pastors, the Rev. M. Dewitt and the Rev. C. H. Sauceman. So far thirty-nine have been converted. The plan is to close the meetings Sunday night, but if sufficient interest is shown they may continue.

To Hold School Social.

A box and pie supper will be held tonight at the Independence school house by Miss Rhoda Brown, teacher.

Texas Bars Missouri Stock.

Missouri was quarantined against stock shipments by the Texas live stock sanitary commission yesterday because of the foot and mouth disease.

"There's just got to be team work if —you're playing to win."



I picked up a good old partner that brings joy in bunches. I do love a good cigar, and if you find a better nickel smoke anywhere than the

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Dinner Party.

Prof. and Mrs. E. R. Utter were the hosts of a dinner party given at noon today, at which their guests were the Rev. R. B. Helser of Trenton, Mo., who is visiting in the city, and Prof. and Mrs. Harry Burnell Schuler.

Y. W. C. A. Given Invitation.

The Young Women's Christian Association of the Normal is extended an invitation to meet with the Young Woman's Missionary society of the

First Methodist church at its meeting to be held tomorrow at the home of Miss Audrey Howendobler, 401 South Buchanan street.

Arts and Crafts To Meet.

The Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century club will meet at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leslie E. Dean, with Mrs. William J. Montgomery as leader.

Birthday Supper.

Truman Landon, the son of Prof. P. O. Landon, reached his tenth birthday anniversary yesterday, and to make the occasion a happy one, his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Landon, entertained a few of his friends with a supper party last night.

Valentine Party.

B. E. Condon and his sister, Miss Mary, entertained the members of the

intermediate department of the C. E. Society of the First Christian church with a Valentine party at their home last night. The game of hearts was played and Valentine favors were used in decorating. The hosts were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. B. E. Condon, Miss Besse Porter, Miss Thelma Hogue, Miss Gertrude Condon, Ellison Frank and Goff Crawford. Thirty were entertained.

Edward Bohm Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Michau Townsend announce the birth of their son Thursday, February 11. The child has been named Edward Bohm. The name combines those of the baby's grandfathers, E. L. Townsend of this city and Henry Bohm of Denver, Col. Previous to her marriage, Mrs. Townsend was Miss Lillian Bohm.

Surprise Party.

Mr. John Holtman of Clyde was given a surprise party recently on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. An oyster supper was followed by an evening with music and games. The guests were Miss Rose Myer, Miss Mattie O'Riley, Miss Gertrude Dixon, Miss Nora Ellerman, Miss Villens, Mr. O'Riley, John Hankler, Charles Villens and John Ryan.

Double Wedding.

Dr. C. M. Chilton, pastor of the First Christian church of St. Joseph, performed a double wedding ceremony yesterday afternoon in the church parlors. The couples united in marriage were Walter McGinness and Miss Birde Newland, and Lee Smock and Miss Chloma Lawrence, all of Skidmore. The newly wedded couples returned last night to Skidmore, which will be their home.

I X L to Entertain.

The I X L club will entertain its members and their husbands with a valentine party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp, on Thursday night of next week. The gathering will be held in honor of several of the members who are leaving soon for California to make an extended visit. The club is losing another of its members, Mrs. Wilbur C. Smith, who leaves soon for Pickering to reside. At the last meeting of the club Mrs. Smith was presented an I X L souvenir spoon as a farewell remembrance.

Miss Onstot Hostess.

Miss Lida Onstot entertained the members of the I. I. Club Wednesday afternoon at her home, northwest of the city, with a prettily arranged thimble tea. A short program of literary and musical numbers was given. Those present were Mrs. A. H. Hughes, Mrs. John Halasey, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. Claud Shell, Mrs. Will Osborn,

You—Or No One Else
cares to be bald. Yet that is what will
happen if your hair does not stop falling
out.
Rexall "93"
Hair Tonic
in our opinion is the best hair tonic on
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Mrs. A. L. Taylor and Mrs. B. R. Kinsley. Mrs. Kinsley was a guest of the club members. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. A. H. Hughes.

Birthday Dinner Party.

Mrs. J. C. Curfman gave a dinner party last night at her home, on South Main street, to mark the seventh birthday anniversary of her granddaughter, Virginia Curfman. The table appointments were carried out in pink and white, and the centerpiece was a large birthday cake, surrounded by seven pink and white candles, the cake being prepared for the occasion by the little girl's great-aunt, Miss Katherine Curfman. The guests included Mrs. Katherine Walker, a great-great-aunt; Mrs. Margaret Curfman, great-grandmother, and Miss Katherine Curfman, great-aunt of little Miss Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curfman and daughters, Laura, Helen, Mary Ruth and Gerude; Roy J. Curfman, Faye Farmer and Ralph Hotchkiss.

Wedding Dance.

A dancing party was given Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiderholt, near Clyde, in honor of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miller. Mrs. Miller was Miss Mary Wiederholt before her marriage to Mr. Miller which took place Tuesday morning at the Conception church, the Rev. Father Placidus reading the marriage service. After the dance, a two course supper was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Miss Mamie Sullivan, Miss Mac-line Sullivan, Miss Rose Myer, Miss Mary Farnan, Miss Nora Ellerman, Miss Agnes Wolfer, Miss Suabach, Miss Rose Miller, Miss Mary Billey, Miss Frances Eicholt, Miss Mary Hankler, Miss Norar Zelfas, Miss Hattie Sullivan, John Hankler, John King, John Myer, Fred Sharp, Chris Derks, George Derks, Joseph Teson, Matt Suabach, Ed Wiederholt, Arthur Eckhouse, Frowin King, George Wiederholt and Joseph Billey. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will make their home on a farm near Clyde.

Bridge Luncheon.

One of the most charming affairs of recent date was the Valentine bridge luncheon given yesterday at the home of Mrs. Ed G. Orear with Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Mrs. J. F. Colby, Mrs. M. Nusbaum and Mrs. Orear as hostesses. Innumerable red hearts in all sizes, were used for the adornment of the rooms. Doorways and windows were screened with festoons of hearts hung from red ribbons, and every detail of the decorations was in keeping with Valentine spirit. The luncheon table was exquisitely appointed. A novel centerpiece, placed on a cluny cloth, was a mound of green fern leaves surrounded by a circlet of pierced hearts. Strands of tiny red hearts on ribbons, were draped from the chandelier to the table. The place cards were red Valentines, on which was written an original couplet of special significance to the guest. Tally cards were in the form of Valentines. The prize for the high score, a mahogany serving tray, was won by Miss Elizabeth Turner. Guests and hostess are the members of the Monday afternoon bridge club and the luncheon was the outcome of a wager made at the beginning of the series of games that the losers entertain the winners. The guests were Mrs. C. Edward Signs, Mrs. John Wesley Herren, Mrs. Charles Jackson, Miss Elizabeth Turner and Mrs. A. Swike of Plattsburg, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nusbaum.

William Lazenby of near Gaynor City was in Maryville today to visit his daughter, Mrs. Rame Shroyer, and her husband.

Charles H. Miller of near Quitman has bought the 80-acre farm of Chris Bowman, a mile and a half northeast of Quitman, the consideration being \$7,000. Wes Miller has leased the place this year. Mr. Bowman will go to Wyoming to live soon.

FIVE-MINUTE CURE IF STOMACH IS BAD

When "Pape's Diapepsin" Reaches
Stomach All Indigestion, Gas and
Sourness Disappears.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, orments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eructations of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.

Alderman Yehle

Advance Spring Showing

WE are receiving, every day, new spring goods, and you will find on display in nearly every department advance spring merchandise, but today we are featuring the advance styles in ready-to-wear apparel.

Tailored Suits

There is so little difference in weights between materials for spring and those for winter, that women can wear a spring suit without fear of catching cold. Consequently those buying suits now will get a full spring wear from the garment.

The suits receiving the greatest amount of attention, are the short jacket effects, reaching just below the waist line and those that just cover the hips.

The skirts are of various types, but the tendency seems to favor the more conservative measurements, from 2½ to 3 yards around, with the circular and flare effects.

The materials employed include Serges, Gabardines, Coverts and Poplins. The colorings receiving the most interest are the dull shades, such as shepherd checks, tans, black, navy, Belgian blue, and sand colors.

We have just received a nice assortment of the newest creations in Tailored Suits, separate coats and dresses for spring, and as it is impossible for us to describe these garments fully, it will be necessary for you to call and see these in order to realize the beauty and refinement expressed in these new styles.

We Call Attention to Our Extraordinary Sale of High Shoes. These are Bargains for You.

A. M. Howard III, days with pneumonia. His condition today was slightly better, but is still critical.
A. M. Howard of 628 West First street, has been very ill for several

Announcement

We have purchased the South Side Hardware of C. A. Barbour, the inventory is now finished and the store is open for business. We shall be very glad to have you call and see us, whether you buy or not, and we assure you of the very best treatment possible.

In taking the inventory and re-arranging the stock we find some lines entirely too heavy, and we are going to make some very attractive prices to move the goods quickly.

Come in and get our prices when you need anything in our line.

Mr. Jesse Paulette, salesman and Mr. James Rigney, expert tinner and furnace man will remain with the store and will be pleased to have their friends call and see them.

Garrett & Eckert Hardware Co.
South Side Hardware

All Winter Goods Will Be Sold at Cost

This will give you the chance to supply yourself or the boy with any winter clothes of which you may still be in need.

New Spring Goods Are Arriving Daily. Come in and look over these new supplies in Men's Furnishings.

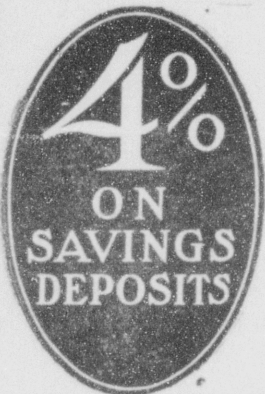
SHOES

We are ready with a complete line of SHOES for you. Well known makes in both Dress Shoes and Work Shoes.

M. Nusbaum

Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today



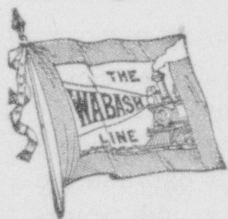
Deposits of One Dollar and upwards Received in our Savings Department.

Interest Paid Twice A Year

Oldest Bank in The County

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
A BANK FOR SAVINGS
MARYVILLE — MISSOURI

Safety First



FOLLOW THE FLAG

To San Francisco
San Diego Exposition
and Return \$51.48

via
WABASH

Perhaps the prime motive of most people who make this trip will be to visit these great expositions yet there are numerous attractions all along the way

The Stop-Over Privileges on These Tickets are Very Liberal

Many free side trips, including a voyage at sea without additional charge.

Rates are effective March 1st, to November 30th, 1915. Final return limit 3 months from date of sale but not later than December 31st, 1915.

We thank you for the inquiry and will be glad to give you the best possible information at all times.

E. L. FERRITOR, Agent

Closing Out Sale

I will sell at auction on the John Risbon farm, 1 1/4 miles northeast of Arkoe, about eight miles southeast of Maryville, commencing at 10:00 a. m.,

Tuesday, February 16, 1915

10 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 black horse, 7 years old, weight 1,600; 1 bay horse, 3 years old, weight 1,100. 1 span of mules, five and six years old, weight about 1,100; 1 span brood mares, 10 and 12 years old, weight about 1,600, both with foal by Phenix; 1 gray mare, 9 years old, 1 sorrel mare 10 years old, both with foal; 1 yearling horse colt; 1 weanling colt.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE—21 head of spring calves, 7 head of milk cows, 10 head of 2-year-old heifers, springers.

25 HEAD OF HOGS—15 head of Poland-China gilts, 10 head stock hogs. About 1,000 bushels of corn, between 15 and 20 tons of baled alfalfa hay. Lunch served by the Ladies of the Arkoe M. E. Church.

TERMS:—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months time on approved notes bearing 8 per cent from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

E. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer.
J. T. GOFF, Clerk.

J. B. Clements

DID CHILD WAKE UP CROSS OR FEVERISH?

Look, Mother! If Tongue is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs" to Clean the Bowels.

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Arrives From Kansas City.

Miss Gladys Ambrose of Kansas City, will arrive in Maryville tonight to spend the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode. She will be met at St. Joseph by Mr. Rickenbrode, who is returning tonight from a meeting of the Normal board of regents held at St. Joseph.

Miss Gertrude Dixon has returned to her home after a visit of several days with Miss Nora Ellerman of Clyde.

You Can Have
In Time of Need
If You Save
In Time of
Plenty

When you have more money than is necessary for your immediate needs, then is the time to save. It is easy to save. It is easy to save then. Compound interest will make your small account grow amazingly. You will be glad you have prepared for bad times. Many a fortune has no larger start than the first dollar saved.

Farmers Trust Company
"HOME OF SAVINGS"
Maryville, - Missouri

A Bethany man on going home the other night woke up his wife and jubilantly said: "My dear, I have found the key of success." "Well," she replied, looking him over carefully, "if you stay in your present condition you will never find the key hole."

FOR SALE—10 acre improved place, 2 miles east and 1/2 mile south city. Price \$2,000. \$500 cash and balance back on place. Yeo Bros., 413 North Main st. 12-15.

If You Are Losing Weight and your nerves are in bad condition, we recommend

Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
containing Hypophosphites
a food and nerve tonic prescription.
Orean-Henry Drug Co.

Holmes & Wolfert

A Few Bargains in City Property

We have some very choice City properties and below you will find some rare bargains; now is the time to buy.

A 5 room house, one lot, just off West Seventh st., price \$1800.
A 7 room cottage good as new, city water, sewerage and barn \$2500.

A 7 room house on North Main, price \$3250.

Two five room houses on one lot, West Fifth st., price \$3500.

9 room house, modern, on West Seventh street, price \$4500.

10 room house, modern, South Main, price \$4250.

11 room house, two lots, near Normal, price \$3500.

7 room house, three lots, in good condition, price \$2600.

8 room house, modern in every way, South Buchanan street, price \$5000.

8 room house, modern and new, three lots, great bargain, price \$3800.

6 room house, 2 lots, price \$2000.

8 room house, modern, on West Third street, price \$4500.

Acreage Properties

10 acres, good house and barn, near city, price \$3740.

5 acres, good house and barn, price \$2500.

4 acres, five room house, barn, cave, chicken house, near City, price \$3500.

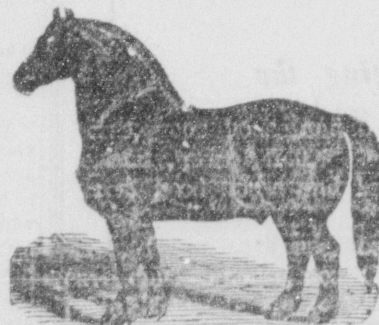
Building Lots

To those desiring building lots for spring come and see us, we have some very choice lots in an exclusive district that will be placed on the market to the parties that wish to live in an exclusive district, and every thing made pleasant for builders of homes.

Holmes & Wolfert

WANTED

Horses and Mares



From 5 to 10 Years Old Weighing 1100 to 2000 Pounds I WILL BE IN

Wilcox, Forenoon Tuesday, February 16
Quitman, Afternoon Tuesday, February 16

I will be in your town on above named dates to buy horses and mares from 5 to 10 years old, from 1000 to 2000 pounds. I want as many good chunks as you lead to me, of ages and weights mentioned above. If you have a good one give me a look. I will show you I come to buy. I have no market for ponies of leggy or blemished stuff but I have for the good kind. Lead them in and get the money. All Horses and Mares heavy bone, any color but light gray.

FRANK ADAMS
The Old Reliable Horse Buyer

Do Not Grip

We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

Rexall Orderlies

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

Orean-Henry Drug Co.

FOR SALE—Two high grade yearling bulls, 1 Hereford and 1 Shorthorn. No better in the country. Elmer Fraser, 12-18.

With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most elderly people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is necessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need My Kind.

H. L. RAINES
Jeweler and Optician
110 W. 3rd. St.

Send Her Flowers

For St. Valentines Day February 14th. Sweet Peas, Violets, Red Roses and Red Carnations are the most appropriate for this occasion and we want to also mention our special Valentine Boxes, which makes Engelmann's Valentines of Flowers indeed the most appropriate Valentine that you can send sweetheart, mother, wife or friend. Phone and Mail orders receive special attention

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

KARL R. MALOTTE,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office over Thomas Parle's drug store.
MARYVILLE, MO.
Both Phones.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR
AT LAW.
Office over Farmers Trust Company,
Maryville, Mo.

F. R. ANTHONY M. D.,

Specialist.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Office hours 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

DEMOCRAT-FORUM

WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interruptions insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—20 acres adjoining city limits, well improved, good location for small dairy or truck garden. See Joseph Jackson, Jr. 8-11

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Some good, bright cane hay. L. D. Lynch, 2 miles west on Prather farm. 9-15

FOR SALE—Mammoth bronze tom turkeys, sired by a 45-lb tom. Mrs. J. H. Alexander, Pickering, Mo., telephone exchange Orrsburg. 9-15

FOR SALE—1 pair work mules, gentle and broke; 1 pair 2-year-olds, coming 3 in spring. Inquire D. M. Hughes, Farmers Telephone 54 city. 8-13

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front, Farmers phone 45-0-11. 26-11

FOR SALE—Roll top desk, small table, rocking chair and other office furniture. Hanamo 10. 10-12

FOR SALE—Old Trusty incubators delivered, freight paid to any station at factory price. E. L. Andrews. 30-11

Miscellaneous.

Pie and box supper will be given at W. O. W. hall Monday night, Feb. 15, instead of Friday, Feb. 12. 9-11

RAGS WANTED—Good, clean rags. Must be free from lint and buttons. Bring to this office.

SPECIAL SALE—Soft stove wood, \$3.00; hard stove wood, \$4.00 a load. All you can get on with sideboards, delivered. Saunders Bros. 10-11

FOUND—Strayed Duroc Jersey aged boar, weight about 300 lbs, at the Robert Wells farm, 2 miles southwest of Maryville. Call Hanamo 45. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. 10-13

ALFALFA—Barn browned, first crop, sweet, leafy, \$14.50. Third crop, good color, sweet leaf, \$16.50. On Burlington track. Elmer Fraser.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

FACIAL TREATMENT FOR LADIES—Blackheads, liver spots, etc., permanently removed. Call at 422 West Third street, Maryville, Mo. Treatments Wednesdays and Fridays. 8-13

WANTED—Students who want to learn German or students who need tutoring in German; experienced in teaching. Call Hanamo 146. Clara Meyer. 12-15

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Farm For Sale

We will sell 160 acres of land in Atchison township, Nodaway county, Missouri, known as a part of the Joseph Johnson estate. 50 acres fall plowed. Here is as good land as lays out of doors and it will pay you to come and see it for it is a bargain for some one. Running water the year round. Land is well fenced but no other improvements. \$7000 mortgage due in four years from October 1, 1914, at 6 per cent. Will carry \$5000 for four years yearly payments from January 1, 1915, at 6 per cent. \$1000 on day of sale and balance when papers are made out. Will give perfect title. Come and look it over before day of sale.

Friday, February 26, 1915

We will also hold a public sale on the above date beginning at 10 a. m. sharp. This sale includes 19 head of Horses and Mules, 20 head of Cattle, 22 head of Hogs, Grain, Implements, etc. This sale will be held at the farm, 4 miles southeast of Braddyville and 8 miles west of Hopkins. Terms—As usual.

C. C. Holbrook & Co.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at public sale on the J. B. Garner farm, 7 miles southwest of Maryville and one mile north of Rockford church, on

Monday, February 15

the following property:

12 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—consisting of 1 span of good work mules, six years old; 1 mule 9 years old; 1 driving team, 8 years old; 1 trotting bred mare, 3 years old; 2 trotting bred colts, 2 years old; 2 yearling draft colts; 1 weanling colt; 1 blind mare, 6 years old with foal.

20 HEAD OF CATTLE—consisting of 5 milch cows; 5 yearling steers; 3 yearling heifers; 7 calves.

33 HEAD OF HOGS—consisting of 1 sow with 8 pigs; 1 sow with 6 pigs; 1 sow with 7 pigs; 1 sow with 5 pigs; 2 sows.

IMPLEMENTS—1 7-foot McCormick binder, good as new; 1 hay rake; 1 lister and drill combined; 1 disc cultivator; 2 wagons; 1 buggy; 3 sets of work harness; 1 set of buggy harness.

CORN—About 800 bushels.

TERMS:—3 to 6 months credit on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch by Binter & O'Grady.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
J. D. RICHEY, Clerk.

Seipel Bros.